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Senate Resolution 1261

By: Senators Kemp of the 46th and Hudgens of the 47th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Remembering and honoring the life of Sergeant Bryan Lewis; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, throughout his life, Sergeant Bryan Lewis of Athens, Georgia, touched
- 3 countless lives with his generosity, compassion, and unwavering love of country; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Sergeant Lewis, a native of Bunkie, Louisiana, enlisted in the United States
- 5 Army in 1993 and served with distinction with the 258th Military Police Company, 519th
- 6 Military Police Battalion, based at Fort Polk, Louisiana; and
- 7 WHEREAS, his illustrious military career took him to locales across the globe, including
- 8 Kosovo, Bosnia, Germany, Korea, and Cuba, before he was deployed to Iraq last year; and
- 9 WHEREAS, a newlywed, Sergeant Lewis was devoted to his wife of seven months, Fabersha
- 10 Flynt Lewis, and managed to speak with her every day of his deployment; and
- 11 WHEREAS, on March 13, 2006, Sergeant Lewis was killed in a roadside bomb explosion
- 12 in Iraq; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Sergeant Lewis will be posthumously awarded the Bronze Star for combat
- 14 heroism and meritorious service; and
- 15 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia, its citizens, and the members of this body have been
- 16 greatly moved and saddened at the passing of this courageous, kind, and gifted gentleman,
- 17 and all Americans mourn his loss and honor the sacrifice he made to defend the liberty of this
- 18 great nation.

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1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body

- 2 join to remember and honor the life and sacrifice of Sergeant Bryan Lewis and extend their
- 3 most heartfelt condolences to his family and friends.
- 4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 5 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mrs. Fabersha Flynt Lewis.